COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH OVERSIGHT DIVISION

FISCAL NOTE

<u>L.R. No.</u>: 3595-01 <u>Bill No.</u>: HB 1689

Subject: Boards, Commissions, Committees, Councils: Economic Development Dept;

Licenses - Professional

<u>Type</u>: Original

Date: February 19, 2002

FISCAL SUMMARY

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON STATE FUNDS							
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2003	FY 2004	FY 2005				
Total Estimated Net Effect on <u>All</u> State Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0				

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON FEDERAL FUNDS							
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2003	FY 2004	FY 2005				
Total Estimated Net Effect on <u>All</u> Federal Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0				

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON LOCAL FUNDS							
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2003	FY 2004	FY 2005				
Local Government	\$0	\$0	\$0				

Numbers within parentheses: () indicate costs or losses.

This fiscal note contains 3 pages.

FISCAL ANALYSIS

ASSUMPTION

Officials from the **Department of Economic Development - Division of Professional Registration** indicate there will be no fiscal impact to the division as a result of this proposed legislation.

FISCAL IMPACT - State Government	FY 2003 (10 Mo.)	FY 2004	FY 2005
	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>
FISCAL IMPACT - Local Government	FY 2003 (10 Mo.)	FY 2004	FY 2005
	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>

FISCAL IMPACT - Small Business

Small businesses could be fiscally impacted by the increase in potential licensees resulting from this proposed legislation.

DESCRIPTION

This proposed legislation removes the minimum age requirement for persons seeking a professional license in this state who currently hold a professional license in another state which is deemed to have substantially equivalent licensing requirements.

The proposal adopts certain criteria for inactive licenses for all professions within the Division of Professional Registration. Licensees granted inactive status may return to active status by meeting all requirements established by each board. Persons holding temporary licenses may place their license on inactive status until they are able to complete the necessary requirements for licensure.

The proposal also allows lapsed licenses to be renewed within a five- year period by meeting all requirements established by the board, excluding the licensing examinations.

This legislation is not federally mandated, would not duplicate any other program and would not require additional capital improvements or rental space.

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SOURCES OF INFORMATION

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